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Client Reference: T4AOA-03S0229-1

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re PATENT APPLICATION of:  
**TAKAHIRO SUZUKI**

Confirmation Number: 9774

Application No.: 10/713,119

Group Art Unit: 2627

Filed: November 17, 2003

Examiner: Linh Thi Nguyen

For: DISK APPARATUS AND DISK PROCESSING METHOD

**Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**

**AMENDMENT/RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL**

Transmitted herewith is an amendment/response for this application.

## FEEES

The fee for claims and extension of time (37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17) has been calculated as shown below:


	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA		RATE		ADDIT. FEE
TOTAL	6	- 20	= 0	X \$	50.00	= \$	0.00
INDEP.	3	- 3	= 0	X \$	200.00	= \$	0.00
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM				+ \$	360.00	= \$	0.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL CLAIM FEE						\$	0.00
GRAND TOTAL						\$	0.00

**FEE PAYMENT**

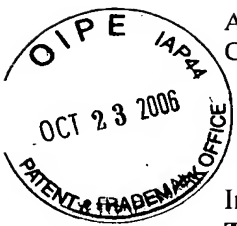
Authorization is hereby made to charge the amount of \$0.00 to Deposit Account No. 033975. Charge any additional fees required by this paper or credit any overpayment in the manner authorized above. A duplicate of this paper is attached.

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111**

**Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendments**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 28, 2006, the date for responding being October 28, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows: